



IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In Re Application of:)

Taylor, Fredrick)

Serial No.: 10/036,691)

Filed: December 21, 2001)

For: **TIRE WITH NON-MARKING TREAD**)

Group Art Unit: 1733

Examiner: Maki, Steven

Docket No.: 822301-1010

RESPONSE AND AMENDMENT

MAIL STOP: FEE AMENDMENT

Commissioner for Patents

P.O. Box 1450, Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Atlanta, Georgia 30308-2216

Sir:

The Office Action from mailed on November 19, 2003 has been received and reviewed. Reconsideration and allowance of the application is respectfully requested in view of the following amendments and remarks.

**PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME/
AUTHORIZATION TO DEBIT ACCOUNT**

A Petition For a one (1) month extension of time is submitted with this Response and payment for the same. It is believed that no other extensions of time or fees for net addition of claims are required, beyond those which may otherwise be provided for in documents accompanying this paper. However, in the event that additional extensions of time are necessary to allow consideration of this paper, such extensions are hereby petitioned under 37 C.F.R. §1.136(a), and any fees required therefor (including fees for net addition of claims) are hereby authorized to be charged to deposit account no. 20-0778.

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